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HARRISBURG LETTER

Communication From Special Correspondent at State Capital.

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Guilty of Graft—Senatorial and Representative Re-Apportionment—Money for Bridges—Sealed Bids.

Special Correspondence of THE GAZETTE.

HARRISBURG, January 30.—The report of the Actuary of the insurance department showed that $33,000 in fees had been paid into that department last year and not one dollar of that amount reached the state treasury. This caused considerable debate in both the senate and house and numerous resolutions were offered to investigate the condition of the department. Accordingly a resolution was presented by Mr. Pusey in the house Monday evening creating a joint investigation committee of three Republicans and two Democrats from the senate and two Democrats and four Republicans of the house to investigate the insurance department, with power to send for persons and papers, to administer oaths, etc., etc. The committee must report by February 6. Mr. Forster, actuary of the department for many years, has made it clear to all that there has been considerable graft in the department, owing to the fact that no legislation was ever enacted restricting the commissioners who held the office. A bill is now in committee fixing the salary of the actuary at $4,000 per annum. Heretofore the actuary also received as his compensation a percentage of the fees paid into the insurance department.

It now seems probable that the Senatorial and Legislative Apportionment bills will pass without much trouble. They have passed second reading notwithstanding the fact that several attempts have been made to kill the bills by moving to have them indefinitely postponed. It is now understood that an amendment will be offered that will give each county the same number of representatives they now have and in that way frustrate the real intent of the bill. The governor is determined to have a re-apportionment of the state. This question has been agitated for years and always postponed and now is the time to adjust the matter so an equal apportionment will be made and everyone in the state be equally represented and protected.

The bill regulating the amount of money to be expended each year for building bridges has passed second reading. An effort is being made to give the county commissioners power to protect themselves against bridge company trusts All contracts over $100 must be submitted sealed and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder

Bills have been offered numerously for civil service, regulation of the state treasury, primary elections and ballot reforms.

The date for adjourning will be sometime near February 10. The senate wants it to be the 15th and they will likely have it their way, as usual,

J. J. BRANDT.

Philip Sheridan Smith.

Philip Sheridan Smith, better known to the people of Bedford as "Sher" Smith, died at St. Vincent's hospital, Billings, Mont., on January 15, of lung trouble. Mr. Smith was a son of the late Jacob and Catharine Smith and was born in Bedford 42 years ago. In 1884 he went west, locating in Montana. After spending some time there he went to California and Oregon where he lived several years, afterward returning to the state of Montana where he has since resided. The deceased was a brother of B F. and David O. Smith, of this place, who with two other brothers and one sister, survive him, namely, Scott S. Smith, of Allegheny; Wellington, of Billings, Mont., and Mrs. Joseph Gephart, of Safe Harbor.

William Dicken.

William Dicken, of Hewitt, was born August 12, 1835, and departed this life, January 24, 1906, aged 70 years, three months and 12 days. The interment was made in the McElfish burial ground. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Gather, of Flintstone, Md. He leaves to mourn their loss his wife and twelve children as follows: Milton, of Cumberland; Kelly, of Davis, W. Va.; Lou, of Berlin; Elwood, of Thomas, W. Va.; Dolph, of Hancock; Harry and William at home. Mrs. Angeline Robison, of Cumberland; Mrs. Cornelius Bucy, of Davis, W. Va.; Mrs. Darcus Stayman, of near Hagerstown; Alice and Zella at home. Mr. Dicken lived in that section of the county for 17 years and had a host of friends, his funeral being one of the largest ever seen in that community.

George A. Beegle.

George Adam Beegle, of near Mt. Dallas station died suddenly Tuesday evening in his 65 year. A few hours before his death Mr. Beegle left home on an errand to Mt. Dallas, but becoming ill on the road he returned to his home. A doctor was summoned but when he arrived the patient was in a stupor from which he could not be roused. Death followed in a short time. Mr. Beegle was born and raised in Bedford township and has followed agricultural pursuits all his life. He was a prosperous and respected citizen and will be missed in the community. He is survived by his wife and three children, Calvin, Dorsey and Miss Nellie. Three brothers and one sister also survive, Frederick and Philip, of Bedford township; Daniel, of near Osterburg; and Eliza, of Bedford township. The funeral services will be conducted today by his pastor, Rev. Lingle, assisted by Rev. Russell, of the Lutheran church, at Everett.

Walter Isenberg.

Walter Isenberg, the well known undertaker and furniture dealer of New Enterprise, died at his late home at that place on Tuesday, January 30, having been ill about three weeks with typhoid fever. Mr. Isenberg is survived by his wife, one son, Blair E. Isenberg, of Johnstown, and two daughters, Misses Minnie and Carrie, the former teaching school near New Enterprise. Five brothers and three sisters also survive him. The deceased was about 52 years of age.

PRIMARY ELECTIONS.

Result of Last Saturday's Voting in the Borough—Action of Lincoln Republicans.

The following tickets were placed in nomination by the Democrats and Republicans of Bedford at last Saturday's primaries:

Democratic—Justice of the peace, Frank Thompson; burgess, C. B. Grimminger; councilmen, H. R. Hershberger, John Burket; school directors, S. C. Ritchey, J. Scott Corle; tax collector, John V. Kellinger; auditor, Clyde G. Schell. West Ward—Judge of election, R. D. Brown; inspector, Ross C. Fletcher; assistant assessor, Charles T. Gilchrist. East Ward—Judge of election, Thomas J. Moore; inspector, A. L. Barclay; assistant assessor, A. J. Allen.

Republican—Justice of the peace, Samuel Ake; burgess, John R. Jordan; councilmen, William R. Piper, Fred A. Metzger; school directors, M. A. Points, Dr. J. A. Clark; tax collector, C. D. Brode; auditor, John M. Bain. East Ward—Judge of election, Guy Blymyer; inspector, W. C. Lutz; assistant assessor, H. K. Reighard. West Ward—Judge of election, M. A. Stoner; inspector, Clarence Davidson; assistant assessor, Guy Baylor.

Saturday evening the Lincoln Republicans met in the grand jury room at the courthouse and endorsed the ticket nominated by the Democrats.

Mrs. John W. Hite.

CENTREVILLE, January 31—Death has again visited our valley and taken one of the most pleasant and respected of wives and mothers, Mrs. John W Hite, who died at her home three miles south of Centreville, Saturday, January 27, 1906, at 1 o'clock, aged 43 years, three months and 14 days. Interment was made in the Bethel M. E. cemetery, Rev. A. H. Green, of the M. P. church, her pastor, officiating, assisted by Rev. Anderson, of the M. E. church. Here was the largest funeral ever seen in the valley; fully one half the crowd did not get into the church. This surely shows the esteem her neighbors and friends had for her. One hundred and fifteen vehicles were in line from the house to the church, besides horseback riders and others walking. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Deremer and joined fortunes with J. W. Hite, April 25, 1888

Five children and her devoted husband are left to mourn their sad and early loss. The children range in age from 7 to 17 years. The following brothers and sisters also survive: Joseph C Deremer, of York, Neb; William J. Deremer, of Utica, Neb; Henry Deremer, of Alaska, W. Va.; George W. Deremer, John V. Deremer, Harry Deremer, a half brother, and Ida V. Nave, in the valley; Mary C. McClellan, of Fostoria, O.; Lessie Geasler, of near Osterburg.

The I. O. O. F. lodge turned out in her honor, and six members of the order acted as pall-bearers. There were more than 100 relatives in attendance at the funeral. B.

Edward H. Whetstone.

Edward H. Whetstone, a well known citizen of the county, died at his home near Wolfsburg last Friday evening, January 26, of pneumonia, being ill only a week. He was a son of Levi, deceased, and Margaret Whetstone and was born in Friend's Cove, January 17, 1864, hence was aged 42 years and nine days. On June 16, 1889 the deceased was united in marriage to Miss Virginia Diehl, daughter of S. S. Diehl, of Bedford township. Mr. Whetstone spent the greater part of his life in farming but for the past few years has been engaged in railroading. His wife and five children survive him, also his mother, who resides in Friend's Cove, and two sisters, Mrs. Solomon S. Diehl, of Cumberland, and Mrs. John J. Diehl, of Friend's Cove. The funeral services were held in St. John's Reformed church, Bedford, on Monday, Rev. B. F. Bausman, of Cessna, officiating, assisted by Rev. A. T. G. Apple. Washington Camp No 412, P. O. S. of A., of Rainsburg, of which the deceased was a member, and Washington Camp No. 81, of Bedford, attended the funeral in a body. Interment was made in the Bedford cemetery.

David Brode.

David Brode died at the home of his son, Charles D. Brode, on Juliana street, Tuesday morning, at the ripe age of 81 years, one month and 18 days.

Mr. Brode fell on a stairway some days ago and injuries then received resulted in his death.

He was a respected citizen of the town. He was a member of the Reformed church in his younger manhood. Some years ago he went west and on his return united with Trinity Lutheran church of which he remained a consistent member. He is among the last of those who once were prominent in business circles in Bedford.

He is survived by the following children: Mrs. G. M. McMillin, of near New Paris; George S. Brode, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Philip Knapp, of Pittsburg, and Charles D. Brode, of Bedford. The funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon by his pastor, Rev. M. L. Culler, assisted by Rev. A. T. G. Apple. Interment was made in Bedford cemetery.

Mrs. Susan Imler.

Mrs. Susan Imler, wife of Calvin Imler, died at her home near Salemville, Wednesday evening, January 24, after an illness of more than a year. The cause of her death is not exactly known, as the leading physicians disagreed. It was, however believed to be cancer of the stomach or consumption. She was a woman of more than ordinary faith, and put her trust in her Master while but a girl, and continued to serve Him till her death, and through her last illness she called for prayer when her friends visited her, and she gave herself into the care of Christ and felt that if it was His will she was ready to go.

She leaves a husband, father, one brother and two sisters, and a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

Funeral services were conducted by Elder D. F. Detwiler in the Dunkard church at New Enterprise Saturday morning. Interment in the Snoberger cemetery. Deceased was 33 years, eight months and five days old.

WASHINGTON LETTER

Communication from Our Regular Correspondent.

THE STATEHOOD BILL.

General Joe Wheeler Buried in Arlington Cemetery—The Railroad Rate Bill in Doubt.

Special Correspondence to THE GAZETTE.

WASHINGTON, D. C, January 27—Unless the unexpected happens, the anti-joint statehood campaign is not only dead but beyond resurrection. The insurrectionary force of the house is broken beyond reconstruction and the insurgent leaders are now devoting their time to telling how it happened, which is not so important as the fact that it has happened. Of course there is a chance that the senate may take up the fight and secure an amendment of the house bill but that is not considered probable. The measure is a party measure, as has been previously pointed out, and it is not any more likely that the senate will break lines on the measure than that the house would. As the case now stands, the bill will in all likelihood go through the senate unchanged and there will be an addition of four Democratic senators to the party ranks. But this is not so bad from the Republican standpoint as though the measure had been passed by a Democratic congress and there had been eight Democratic senators added. The one thing that is sure is that there will be an immense appreciation of property values in the two new states as soon as they attain statehood as was the case with Nevada. So anyone who has money had better get busy in the real estate business, even if they have to sell out to avoid fall in values after the states have been in the Union a little while. There is no likelihood that the territories will be any better or worse off with statehood than without it.

The death of Gen. Joe Wheeler has been received in Washington with genuine regret, and the decision immediately arrived at to bury him in Arlington with all the honors that could be paid to a deceased Union general is not surprising. There was never anything better calculated to show that the civil war was over than the alacrity with which the old Confederates and the sons of Confederates went into the war with Spain. Of course General Wheeler, as one of the most noted cavalry commanders of the south, was watched with particular interest. An account may be given by a man who saw him through all of the Cuban campaign. He says: "Gen. Wheeler was not only a good commander, but he had the experience and the faculty of looking after his men and seeing that his command was in shape for whatever work it was called on to do. In the climate of Cuba, this was an important factor. The best command in the world could be knocked out in two days by dysentery and malaria if the men were not forced to take care of themselves, and General Wheeler had just the sort of field experience to drive this principle home on his subaltern officers and men. I do not know positively whether the story is true about his calling the Spaniards 'Yankees' in the heat of battle, but I was up near the front the evening after the first fight and the story was going round then and was being so heartily laughed over by the men that it certainly originated on the spot whether it was true or not. It was just after the American forces had cleaned out Kettle Hill and General Wheeler's cavalry command, which never saw a house after they left Tampa, had come up over the crest that the old general is reported to have shouted so that all around heard him, 'We've got the Yanks going boys. Give 'em hell.' They did."

General Wheeler lived at the front with his command to the surrender of Santiago and fought it out on the spot with the tropical malaria which was a good deal worse than the Spaniards. There is no question at all that he wanted to get killed in the Santiago campaign and die with his boots on. But though he took all sorts of chances on getting shot, there was never a bullet touched him. He remarked resignedly one afternoon that he supposed he was too small to get "hit" by such damned poor marksmen as they had over there, referring of course to the Spanish lines.

There will be a whole nation to mourn the passing of the good little general, and it will be a fitting mark of affection to say that he shall rest in the national cemetery.

The outcome of the rate bill is doubtful. The measure has not passed either the house or senate and there is going to be a fine old row in conference after it does. The house bill, as is generally known, is more radical than the senate's and there has been a suggestion that when the bill goes to conference that the house will stand out for the adoption, in principle, of its measure and force the senate to the wall. This suggestion is almost untenable. The senate is not used to giving way to the house and the Elkins and Foraker bills are so much more lenient and have so many more loop holes in them of which the railroad companies might take advantage, that it is not likely the senate will submit to seeing itself shelved and the house measure passed in its entirety. It is said that the house measure is more in accord with the president's ideas than is the senate's, but then as is known, this is not likely to interfere with the senate to any great extent.

George Steckman.

George Steckman died at the home of his son-in-law, Daniel Cornell, in Monroe township at 4 o'clock Monday morning of diseases incident to old age. He was a member of the Lutheran church for many years. The funeral services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. J. Milton Snyder, at Clearville on Wednesday. Interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the church. He is survived by the following children: Oliver, Lewis, George and Lawrence, of Monroe township; Johnson, of Cumberland, Md.; Jefferson and Mrs. Daniel Cornell at whose home he died.

IN OLD "KENTUCK"

Happy Bill Makes Observations—In the Mud—A Boat Ride.

ASHLAND, KY., January 29.

EDITOR GAZETTE.—This has been a busy week for "Dad." The weather has been great. The mud—well don't mention it, for some places it was so deep that mules would flounder in it and have to be taken out with ropes. There is a mud hole (so Henry Stafford of Paintsville, Ky., says) near that place where a negro came along with four mules, great, large, handsome mules. Well, he saw a hat in the mud and concluded that some one had lost it and that sooner than wade out in that mud he would let the hat go. Thinking this he concluded to ride his saddle mule as close to the hat as he could and pick it up. He got hold of the hat, 'twas heavy and he pulled and a man's head came up out of the mud. The driver, who wanted to get the hat and save it, said, "My friend your face is dirty and you were in the mud rather deep. Come, I'll help you out." The other said, "Oh, no; I am straddle of my saddle mule." The mud was so deep as to cover the mule and man on his back. Now big Sam Boor ought to be there to wade through and then vouch for the depth of a Kentucky mud hole.

Henry Stafford owns a boat that plies between Catletsburg, Ky., and Prestonburg, Ky, on the Big Sandy. It is a corker, called the *Alka*. It has two engines, with one they can go forward and with the other backward at the same time. It is fun to ride on that boat which makes a trip each night. If the wind and weather are favorable and there is three feet of water eight miles an hour may sound slow but it is not. They have passengers and freight of all kinds. I was blue in feeling as I stepped aboard the *Alka* at Paintsville, Ky. I watched them load almost any thing, from a tadpole to an elephant, but when they carried a coop of nice chicks on deck with the lid made from the sides of a Fort Bedford peanut box it drove the blues away, for sure there was something that came from Bedford, the dear old town. At one place we had the household furniture, the dog, cat and even the cow on deck; some one was moving. The husband was on deck, the wife out on the shore hugging her mother who was shedding many dew drops at the thought of her daughter moving to another county, some twenty-six miles away. All having been put on board, Captain Bill Webb or Ward yelled, "All aboard," when the husband called, "Come, now, Sal, for the boat won't wait much longer." Sal's reply was, "Mann, I won't leave here, so fetch off that cow and them other things," and nothing else was to be done save to unload the goods. This of course cut the number of passengers to ninety seven, and we all felt the great loss to the owner of the boat. However, it got chilly and we adjourned to the main salon where the cook, a nice, clean-looking young man, sat peeling spuds for breakfast. A clerical-looking passenger sang some songs while another passenger told a Sunday school story that referred to the bible, I think Job, and Happy Bill sat there meditating on those boards now on the chicken coop that had come all the way from Bedford.

This is the country to be in to see funny things as one goes along, and if you are half-ways kind to these people, making yourself at home wherever you take off your hat, you will always be welcome and treated very kindly in their way. The weather is grand; plum blossoms are to be seen.

M. P. HECKERMAN.

GENERAL JOSEPH WHEELER.

Noted Confederate Officer Succumbs to Pneumonia.

General Joseph Wheeler, the famous Confederate cavalry leader and a brigadier general of the United States army since the war with Spain, died at 5:35 o'clock Thursday evening of last week at the home of his sister, Mrs. Sterling Smith, in Brooklyn. The veteran of two wars was 69 years old, but in spite of his age, there was hope until the day before his death of his recovery from the attack of pneumonia which caused his death.

The body was laid to rest in Arlington National cemetery near Washington.

Veteran of Two Wars Dead.

Maj. William Williams, a well known citizen of Hollidaysburg and a veteran of the Mexican and civil wars, died on Tuesday, of congestion of the lungs, aged 78 years. He was a senior member of the Blair county bar, but retired from professional life many years ago. In 1845 he was commissioned by Governor Shunk as second lieutenant of "The American Highlanders," a militia company attached to the Legion which served in the Mexican war. On May 14, 1861, he was commissioned as major of the fourteenth regiment of the United States regulars and served until the close of the war. The deceased was also prominently identified with many public enterprises in Hollidaysburg. Three daughters and one son survive him. He was a brother-in-law of Mrs James F. Mickel, of this place.

Mrs. Simon Mellott.

Mrs. Simon Mellott died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Morse, of East Providence, on Monday, January 29, aged 63 years, eight months and 17 days, of a complication of diseases. She was a member of the Lutheran church for 30 years. The funeral service was conducted at Mt Pleasant Lutheran church on Wednesday by Rev. Collins, of the M. E. church at Rays Hill. Interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the church. She is survived by her husband and her daughter, Mrs. Morse.

Imlertown Orchestra.

An orchesta was recently organized at Imlertown, consisting of John H. Imler, Harvey Imler, D. O. Price, Lloyd Imler, Harry Easter, Harry Russell and Albert Imler. They have been entertained recently by B. F. Russell, William Hemming, D. F. Harclerode and Jacob Yont. Those present to enjoy the music at the latter place Monday night were Misses Ethel and Bertha Hemming, Estella and Lana Mock, Gertie Claar, Lillian and Virginia Russell, Mrs. B. F. Russell and Mrs. Cora Russell.

LOCAL LETTERS

From All Sections of the County by Many

GAZETTE REPORTERS

What Our Neighbors Are Doing—Many Visitors—How the Winter Months Are Spent.

Osterburg Opals.

OSTERBURG, January 30.—Mrs. S. G. Kauffman is suffering from a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Eugene Hershiser returned to his home at Mann's Choice the first part of this week.

William Imler, of Altoona, is spending a few weeks with home folks.

George W. Oster is spending this week in Centre county on business.

Missionary at the Lutheran church next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Hannah Oster is going to make her home with Mrs. Maria Moses in the near future.

Mrs. Truman Knipple is at Mann's Choice waiting on her mother, who is seriously ill.

H. C. Oster came home last week from Cumberland, where he had been attending school, with fever. He is much improved at this writing.

Schellsburg Squibs.

SCHELLSBURG, January 31—At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hull, January 21, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. E C. Whetstone returned home on Saturday after a few days sojourn in Johnstown.

E. W. Fisher, who had been working at Ashtola, returned to our town on Saturday.

Miss Louise K. Shaffer returned to her home at Frostburg on Monday.

Miss Anna Brown, who has been visiting friends here for some time, returned to Everett on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kinzey will leave this week for their new home at Ashtola.

There will be Communion services in the Lutheran church next Sunday. Preparatory services Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

Many are those who stop before the windows of Mrs. W. C. Colvin to admire the floral display. Vision fades into the tropics as lovers of the beautiful emblems of love and purity stand before the scene, feasting the eyes. E.

Imlertown Items.

IMLERTOWN, January 30.—John Henderson spent Sunday at the home of George Mock.

John S. Imler is reported some better.

Jacob Yont entertained the Imlertown orchestra at his home last night

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Dibert took dinner at the home of Mrs Harriet Claar last Sunday.

Miss Susie Imler has returned to Bedford after spending a week with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Naugle, of Friend's Cove, were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Ira Berkheimer, on Tuesday.

Absalom Reighard is on the sick-list.

Miss Emma Fletcher spent part of last week among friends and relatives in Bedford

Mrs. Samuel Walter is seriously ill.

Mrs. Gervaise Wertz, of Bedford, is spending a week with home folks.

MARIA

New Paris News.

NEW PARIS, January 30.—The meeting held in the U. B. church is still in progress.

Rev. E. C. Musselman, who has been received as pastor of the Reformed churches of Schellsburg, Buena Vista and New Paris, delivered his first pastoral sermon at this place on Sunday.

The United Brethren will hold their second quarterly meeting at Ryot on Saturday and Sunday, February 3 and 4.

Miss Lista Beegle, of Bedford, and Miss Anna Dibert, of Wolfsburg. were guests in our community a few days recently.

The advanced room of our schools was closed on Monday on account of Prof. Barney and wife attending the funeral of Mrs. Barney's relative, at Clearville.

Brother "Jack of Clubs," please accept our thanks for the kind, encouraging words conferred on your humble reporter. We are glad to know that our "news" are appreciated by so many readers of the first established paper in Bedford county.

The Democrats placed in nomination on Saturday the following ticket: Judge of election, Henry Mitchell; inspector, Harvey Mock; councilmen, A. J. Crissman, H. E. Rightenour; constable, H. E. Rightenour; school directors, W. G. Holderbaum, J. Howard Taylor; tax collector, S. B. Cuppett; justice of the peace, A. J. Crissman; auditor, J. A. Wendell.

The Republicans placed in nomina- the following ticket: Judge of election, S. R. Blackburn; inspector, W. E. Blackburn; councilmen, J. B. Miller, Harry Bisel; constable, A. P. Penrose; school directors, G. W. Hoover, S. P Suter; justice of the peace, D. F. Wonder; auditor, S. R. Blackburn. CAJ

Salemville Siftings.

SALEMVILLE, January 30.—The weather is very fine, but it is not very healthful. Quite a few people in this end of the cove are suffering with pneumonia, fever, and bad colds.

Harvey Eversole, who has been confined to his bed on account of typhoid fever, is better at this writing.

Arrangements are being made for a farmer's institute in our town on the 19 and 20 of February. The program will be published later.

There will be a mock court trial in the Salemville school house on Thursday evening, February 8, instead of the regular literary society program.

Fred Walter, Charles Miller and Harry Guyer bought one of the threshing rigs from Jerry Detwiler and Co. They expect to do work through here next fall.

The "coal mine" excitement on G. S Kagarise's farm below town is still interesting. Men who claim to be experienced in that line of work say there is no coal there, while others contend there is plenty of coal. But Mr. Kagarise is not discouraged, he will continue to dig further into the bank to see what that black material is that looks so much like coal. If Mr. Kagarise succeeds in finding coal and the electric street car line is brought through this end of the cove, we will then begin to think that we have not lived thus far in vain. For as every body knows, Morrison's Cove is the garden spot in the county, but we have no way to get out of it, except to drive. But now we find that never before in the history of the county were the prospects more favorable toward having an electric railway pass through our valley.

Chaneysville Cullings.

CHANEYSVILLE, January 30—The local institute held at Stony Lick schoolhouse last Saturday was a grand success.

Miss Nellie Adams, of this place, and Frank Casteel, of Clearville, were quietly married by Rev. Barney, of Clearville, on January 23. Last Sunday the bride's mother gave the newly married couple a dinner. Quite a number of friends gathered at the bride's home and when dinner was announced the table fairly groaned with the good things to eat. Those who were present are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Adams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Amon Ash, Mr. and Mrs. William Beck and family, Mrs. Joseph Sparks and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beck and family, Mrs. O. S. Beck, Gregg Beck, Robert Host, Georgie Beck, John Casteel, George Adams, Albert Adams, Dean, Virgie, Paul and Harry Beck, Jacob Adams and D. H. Aaron. Several valuable presents were given the bridal couple and the writer wishes them a happy voyage across the matrimonial sea. O. I. C. U.

Hellxville Happenings.

HELIXVILLE, January 30.—How many years has it been since we had such a fine open winter as we have had thus far, and how many years since the great migration of wild pigeons, which occurred, some say on New Year's day, others on Washington's birthday?

Last Friday John H. Wonder, one of our merchants, disposed of all his property, both personal and real. He will go to Johnstown to make his future home. Our loss will be Johnstown's gain. Such is life.

James Crawford will have sale on Thursday and will in the near future move to Schellsburg.

Our little burg will go five to one for work tax, while some parts will go one to five for cash tax.

James Kinsey is busily engaged at burning lime, and says, "Come on boys and get gospel measure."

Henry Ellenberger, who has been nursing a sprained ankle for some time, is able to use it again.

Charles Dull, editor of the Keystone Literary Journal, of the Wilt literary society, is filling the editorial chair with great honor to himself and the community.

Henry Egolf, of Somerset, spent a few days in our community last week.

Quite a number of our farmers are busily engaged in plowing for spring crops.

The bloom of the dandelion has made its appearance, followed by the piping noise of the frog.

The people of our community have several subjects which they are discussing. First, the new road law; second, the vaccination law; third and last, the natural law in regard to osculation.

Miller brothers are busily engaged with their steam saw mill cutting out a tract of timber for Ewalt Feegle.

Before our next letter reaches you the ground hog will have seen his shadow, if the weather continues as it now is. BARNEY.

Point Paragraphs.

POINT, January 30.—Irvine Kaltenbaugh and Miss Hattie Miller, of Johnstown, were Point visitors from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. E. C. King and Miss Fannie Griffith went to Windber on Friday. Miss Griffith expects to remain at Windber for some time. Mrs. King is visiting friends in Johnstown.

George McCreary and son started home on Monday after a week's visit with parents and friends.

Peter Shaffer killed two May pigs last week that weighed 173 and 119 pounds.

Harvey Hillegass received a fine pig of the Dew Drop breed from Alboin, O., on Saturday. The color is red.

Pierre Hershberger is added to the sick list of this community. Charles Perdew and Mrs. Snoberger were somewhat worse on Sunday.

Miss Louise Amick, who spent a month in Schellsburg, returned to Point on Saturday.

William Winegardner is having the lumber prepared to build a new wagon shed. The old shed was built long before the civil war.

John Winegardner spent a part of Saturday and Sunday at Sulphur Springs. He paid a visit to his niece, Miss Maggie Claycomb, who is seriously ill.

Your scribe and wife had the pleasure of partaking of a good birthday dinner at the residence of Manford Beckley. The occasion being the thirty-fourth birthday of Mrs. Beckley. The following persons were present. Mr. and Mrs. George W. Beckley, of Ryot; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fetter and three children, of Point; Mrs. George C. Claycomb and daughter, of Oppenheimer, and last but not least, your scribe and wife.

The primary election was very poorly attended on Saturday. There being only 45 Democrats while at other primaries there were nearly always over a hundred. There were only 22 Republicans. The following candidates were nominated: Democratic—Judge, John Black; inspector, George W. Taylor; school directors, James Crissy, W. E. Reiley; tax collector, E. S. Manges; supervisors, L. W. Egolf, G. B. Felix, P. A Shaffer; auditor, J. A. Cuppett; township clerk, James Ellenberger. Republican—Judge, George W. Hoover; inspector, S D. Lape; school directors, S. S. Stuckey, William Kerr; tax collector, George H. Miller; supervisors, R. C. Smith, Isaiah Hoover, John M. Suter; auditor, William G Colvin; township clerk, W. A. McDaniel There are good men on both tickets and we hope the best will be elected.

Mrs. T. R. Studebaker has been unwell for a long time but is much worse at this time.

Saturday evening the dwelling house of Robert Bridenthal took fire, it is supposed from a spark from the chimney, and burned a large hole in the roof. Mr. Bridenthal tried to get on the garret through a trap door but the heat was too great and he had to give it up. He then proceeded to get the things out of the house as he had no ladder. He gave the alarm as loud as he could. William Earnest happened to see the fire and he and his family were soon on the spot. Together they got control of the fire. It will take nearly a whole new roof to replace the burned part.

I just read an account in the Pittsburg *Times* of the death of Henry H. Darr, of Wooster, O, on the evening of January 27, aged 65 years. Mr. Darr was a member of Co. H, 55th Regt. Pa. Vol. He was one of the original company and was a brave soldier and was commissioned as 2nd lieutenant but was not mustered. Mr. Darr was born and raised about Schellsburg. Daniel Darr, of Johnstown, but formerly of Napier township, is a brother of the deceased.

HOCKER.

SPILLMAN RIGGS

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"You are as good as Spillman Riggs." That is the highest compliment which can be paid to a lecturer who "makes good" in Ohio.

Who is this Spillman Riggs, the "scratch man" of the Ohio lecture courses, who will lecture in Bedford on February 8? Once a minister, now a lecturer, always a preacher, he whistles, sings and impersonates like a mocking bird. What's that? You think we must be confusing two or three other men with Mr Riggs. No, that's quite correct. Riggs is an orchestra and lecturer combined, that's all. It is much more economical in every way, and quite as satisfactory to the audience.

Mr. Riggs' lectures are humorous—but they are more than that. He hasn't gotten out of the preacher's habit yet, and cannot resist the temptation to mix some pills of thought about important but neglected everyday truths in with the taffy of fun and jollity which he so liberally dispenses throughout the lecture.

And after the lecture, as well. Mr. Riggs is generous through and through, from the wave on his hair to the shoes on his feet. As if his audience had not received enough entertainment in one evening, he treats them, after the lecture, to a program of singing, whistling and impersonating, which makes them wonder why he doesn't charge a second admission fee. He could get it without any trouble.

"L. T. L." Entertainment.

The Loyal Temperance Legion surpassed itself Friday evening at the home of Miss L D. Shuck in the rendition of an excellent literary and musical program. Special mention is due the accomplished readers, Miss Mary Minnich and Miss Vesta Brightbill, for the realistic manner in which they presented their appropriately chosen subjects. The vocal duets by Ellen and Cloyd Doty and instrumental selections by Ruth Steiner were also novel features of the program because of the marked talent displayed so early in life. The evening's receipts were $24 60 Following is the program as rendered:

PART I.

Welcome, L. T. L. President, Harold Weisel
Salute and Song, "The Army of the Overthrow," .... Legion
Duet, "Postillon d'Amour."
Nora Blackburn, Gail Blackburn
Recitation, "The Two Portraits."
Vesta Brightbill
Piano, "Monastery Bells," .. Manon Lingle
Vocal Duet, "Sparkling and Bright."
Ellen Doty, Cloyd Doty
Duo "Intermezzo." Ruth Steiner,
L. D. Shuck
Motion Song and Exercise,
Twelve Legioners

PART II.

Duo, "Shadow Dance,"
Margaret Shuck, L. D. Shuck
Reading, "The Modern Cain,"
Miss Mary M. Minnich
Piano, "Fra Diavolo," .... May Hartley
Vocal, "Recessional," .. Mrs. Landis Tanger
Nightingale and Zephyr," ..... Bessie Corle
Duet, (Piano) "The Wanderer,"
Howard Steiner, L. D. Shuck
Solo, "'Twas Rum that Spoiled My Boy,"
Margaret Shuck
Two Piano Movement, "Fanfare," From William Tell Overture, Nora Blackburn, Bessie Corle, Gail Blackburn, Margaret Shuck.
"Good Night," ...... Ellen and Cloyd Doty.

Deeds Recently Recorded.

Emanuel Wilkinson to Harvey Rose, 90 acres in Southampton; consideration $1,300

Harvey H. Rose, by administrator, to Joan H. Potts, 90 acres in Southampton; consideration $910..

Mary E. Steel to Jacob E. Steel, tract in Hopewell township; consideration $500.

Eve Ann Diehl to Michael E Diehl, 120 acres in Colerain; consideration nominal.

Benjamin F. Diehl, by executor, to Sewell W. Diehl, 120 acres in Colerain; consideration $2,500.

Charles A. Haybury to William F. Johnson, three lots in Everett; consideration $450.

William F. Johnson to Howard Cessna, three lots in Everett; consideration nominal.

Howard Cessna to Bertha Johnson, three lots in Everett; consideration nominal.

J. W. Madore, trustee, to Theadore Cook, lot in Hyndman; consideration $225.

Theadore Cook to Ellen Cook, lot in Hyndman; consideration $902.

Moses R. Twigg to George Hanes, tract in Cumberland Valley; consideration $1,500.

Henry Beckley to Elmer E. Beckley, lots in St. Clairsville; consideration $1,200.

Nathan R. Wolf to Jane Imler, 12 acres in East St. Clair; consideration $660.

Isaac A. Mickel, by assignee, to Ora B. Beckley, three tracts in Union; consideration $800.

Milton C. Gates to Harvey Linton, tract in Hopewell township; consideration nominal.

Harvey Linton to South Penn Water and Electric company, tract in Hopewell township; consideration nominal.

County Scrap.

The directors of the poor have brought suit against the county commissioners to recover a balance of $1 350 which they claim to be due from the year 1905 Their requisition called for $13,850 but they received only $12,500. Some things interesting are likely to be developed.

PERSONAL NOTES.

People Who Move Hither and Thither in This Busy World.

Mr. E. F. England, of Colerain, was among yesterday's visitors to town.

Dr. A. J. Bowser returned from a visit to Philadelphia last Saturday evening.

Attorney Joseph Levy, of Somerset, was a business visitor to Bedford on Wednesday.

Mr. Charles Yont of the Grand Central and his sister Ada spent Wednesday in Cumberland.

Mr. J. K. Eichelberger, of Hopewell township, spent the time between trains in town on Tuesday.

Mr. J. S. Bobb, of Roaring Spring, was among those who registered at the Grand Central on Monday.

Messrs. Emery Walter, of King, and Isaac Bowser, of Blair county, were transacting business in town yesterday.

Mrs. J. R. Mardorff and son Gilmore spent part of last week with Mrs. Mardorff's daughter, Mrs. George L. Little, in Saxton.

Mrs. James F. Mickel went to Hollidaysburg this week to attend the funeral of her brother-in-law, Maj. William Williams.

Mabel, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nagler, of Mann's Choice, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W Nagler.

Mrs. Dr. G G Adams and daughter Grace left on Tuesday on an extended visit, the former for Lexington, Mo., and the latter for Columbus, O.

Mr. J. W. Madore, agent for the Baltimore and Ohio railroad at Uniontown, and his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Madore, of Hyndman, spent Friday and Saturday of last week at the home of Attorney B F. Madore.

NEWS ITEMS.

The Daily Happenings Gathered and Briefly Recorded.

Senator Penrose is planning to have Supreme Court Justice John Stewart, of Franklin county, nominated for governor on the Republican ticket in June.

The will of Marshall Field was filed for probate at Chicago on Wednesday, the executors stating that the estate in Illinois is worth $75,000,000, of which $50,000,000 is in personal property.

Only the immediate family connections, a small official list and the intimate friends of the "principals" will attend the Longworth-Roosevelt wedding. The government of Cuba will expend $25,000 for a present for Miss Roosevelt.

The court of Copenhagen has been ordered to go into mourning for 30 days out of respect to the dead king of Denmark, Christian IX. Frederick VIII who has been proclaimed king has announced that he will follow in the footsteps of his father.

George W. Strattan, for almost thirty-five years master mechanic of Altoona machine shops of the Pennsylvania railroad, having reached the age of 70 years, retired on Wednesday from active duty. He was tendered a banquet Wednesday night by the Foremen's association.

Chairman Shonts, of the Panama canal commission, in his testimony before the Senate committee on interoceanic canals, recommended that if the canal be let to contractors the government should continue to own every building and the entire plant and retain control of the government of the zone and sanitation.

In his report of the insurance department of Pennsylvania for 1904, which reads as follows: "The receipts of the department from fees of office from January 1 to December 31, 1904, amounted to $99,373.26, and the expenditures for the same period were $22,-732 16 Israel W. Durham (the "One Political Star,") then insurance commissioner, concealed a grab of more than $100,000. No wonder an investigation is to take place.

Trolly Line to Bedford.

The following article, which is self-explanatory, has appeared in several papers recently:

"The Southern Traction Railway Company has come to light again under the name of "The Altoona, Hollidaysburg and Bedford Springs Railway company." It is now stated that a new railway will be constructed between Altoona and Bedford Springs and put in operation before next winter. It is also said that the organization will be financed by a New York trust company and that a mortgage will be executed and recorded in the Blair county courts in favor of the institution for $1,200,000. The right of way is said to have been secured and that work will soon begin on the construction of the road and that it will be hurried to completion as rapidly as possible.

Frank G. Patterson, Esq., of Pittsburg, formerly of Altoona, is the promoter of the road and is president of the company. He was in Altoona for a time recently on business connected with the road.

LANDSLIDE HITS TRAIN.

Tons of Rock and Earth Demolish Part of a Car.

The Steubenville express, on the Pan Handle division of the Pennsylvania lines, narrowly escaped a disastrous accident on Wednesday when tons of earth and rock, loosened by rain, came crashing down the side of Duquesne Heights, on the south side of Pittsburg, covering the railroad tracks with five feet of debris.

The avalanche struck the rear part of the express train, demolishing a portion of the baggage car and breaking many windows in the coaches. The train was quickly stopped and passengers were taken to Pittsburg on street cars. No one was injured. Had the train been a few seconds late the full force of the landslide would have struck it, causing a serious accident.

Wolfsburg Circuit.

Preaching next Sabbath as follows: Rainsburg at 10 a. m.; Trans Run at 2:30 p m; Wolfsburg at 7:30 p. m. Protracted meetings at Burning Bush will continue indefinitely.

EDWIN C. KEBOCH, Pastor.

Dunning's Creek Reformed Charge.

Pleasant Hill: Preaching at 10 a m; Catechetical lecture at 11 a. m. missionary meeting at 7 p. m.

B. F. BAUSMAN, Pastor.

MENTIONED IN BRIEF.

Town Talk and Neighborhood Notes.

MANY ITEMS OF INTEREST

Gleaned From Various Sources—Little Points Picked Up By Vigilant Reporters.

It is the desire of the management of THE GAZETTE to settle all accounts. Remittances from those in arrears will be greatly appreciated.

Ground hog keep it the shade.

Spillman Riggs—Assembly Hall—February 8—Everybody out.

No entry has been made upon the marriage license docket since January 24.

Liveryman Stiver has made another purchase of two fast horses, Bonnie Boy, record 2:25 and Lucile Billings, record 2:50.

John K. W. Kramer, son of 'Squire M. H. Kramer, of Hyndman, has been appointed private secretary to Congressman Reynolds.

Samuel A. Woomer, formerly of Saxton, died recently at his home in North Braddock, aged 39 years. The cause of his death was typhoid fever.

Mrs. Fred A. Metzger, who for some time has been ill at the home of her parents in Wilkes Barre, is reported some better. Mr. Metzger is with his wife.

The Bedford County Telephone company received a consignment of 46 'phones this week, all of which are engaged. Another order has been placed.

Mrs. Thomas Little had a finger cut off by one of the presses in the printing office of Heckerman's peanut factory on Saturday. Dr. Strock dressed the wound.

P. Donahoe and company have moved their store to the room one door east of the postoffice, where they will be pleased to greet their friends and patrons.

Representatives Alsip and King both voted for an amendment to postpone action on the Re-apportionment bill on Tuesday. The amendment was defeated by a vote of 118 to 66.

Don't miss hearing Spillman Riggs at Assembly Hall next Thursday evening. He's a whole show in himself. Turn out; its an opportunity that doesn't often present itself in Bedford.

Circulars are being distributed for a normal school at Rainsburg, which will open April 23 and will be conducted by Prof. Humphrey C. Dibert, the efficient principal of the schools at that place.

The ticket nominated by the Democrats and endorsed by the Lincoln Republicans last Saturday is a good one and should be elected. Let every Democrat and Lincoln Republican stand at his post.

A dispatch yesterday afternoon announced the coming of a cold wave which seemed to be arriving at the time of going to press. It was 30 degrees below zero at Winnipeg, Can., yesterday morning.

At the third annual exhibition of the Johnstown Poultry and Kennel club to be held in Johnstown on February 7, 8, 9 and 10, chickens will be exhibited by George R. Ling, Fred Wagner and Murray C. Leader, of Bedford.

Marriage licenses were granted at Cumberland recently to John Elwin Cuppett, of Cessna, and Sarah Fleegle, of Point; Andrew L Carberry and Fannie M. Benner, both of Saxton; Charles Leslie Huff, of Saxton, and Anna Hess, of Dudley.

Miss M. Louise Arnold was married at her home in Port Arthur, Tex., on January 21 to William Long, of the same place. Miss Arnold is a daughter of Humphrey Arnold, formerly of this place. She has been a frequent visitor to Bedford and has many friends here.

Charles A. Himes committed suicide in Altoona by shooting himself in the head at the Grand hotel. The man went to the hotel on Saturday but his body was not found till Monday afternoon. He was about 33 years old. In the room were found some postal cards addressed to his wife at Riddlesburg and dated Sunday.

A special session of court was held on Thursday presided over by Judges Brice and Diehl at which time the bond of Lee Detwiler, plaintiff in the matter of the interpleader proceedings instituted by Detwiler against George B. Smeltzer to determine the ownership to a cow levied on by the sheriff, was approved. The cow is valued at $38.

W. R. Ellis, of Johnstown, district manager of the Bell Telephone company, spent Tuesday in Bedford on business. He expressed himself as being well satisfied with the progress being made by W. D. Sechler, exchange manager, who has been locating 'phones in the county since early in December.

A quiet but beautiful home wedding was celebrated at the home of Mrs. Israel Koontz on Spring street, this place on New Year's Day, when at 12 o'clock noon William Harry Fay and Miss Emily Cecil Main, were united in marriage by Rev. A. T. G. Apple. The immediate relatives the bride and groom, with the pastor wife, witnessed the ceremony. After hearty congratulations to the happy couple the party repaired to the dining room where a bounteous repast was served.

Plummer Gets Setback.

During the discussion in the house at Harrisburg on Tuesday Representative J. Lee Plummer, of Blair, took one of his usual flings at the Democrats, toward whom he is bitter since they helped to defeat him for the state treasurership. He accused the Democrats of hedging and playing politics. To this Mr. Creasy, of Columbia, came back quick as lightning with a question as to who it was that smothered the reapportionment bill in 1903. Plummer was then chairman of the elections committee, and he had to admit finally, amid much laughter from the house at his discomfiture, that his committee had killed it with the explanation that "Republicans are not in the habit of passing Democratic measures."

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THAT "CROW" DINNER.

The "crow" roast on which the members of the state senate feasted last week must have been palatable for they all did eat. What a spectacle! A year ago that most select body of our state legislature passed the Philadelphia Ripper, and now at a special session they retrace their steps. If they voted right now they voted wrong then, but why the change? The people have spoken and their voice has been heard, and it has been heeded. They have obeyed the voice of the people this time in passing the Repealer, whereas at the last session they knew not the plain people and heard and obeyed only the mandates of political bosses, who, happily, have since that time been dethroned. The signs of the times are favorable and it is to be hoped that the intelligent voters of the state will never again allow a triumvirate of politicians to "run" the historic and powerful commonwealth.

UNDER TWO FLAGS

At one time estranged from his country and his flag, attired in a uniform of grey, General Joseph Wheeler, whose death is elsewhere noted, led Confederate cavalry against the army of the blue, but he died as he has lived since the war—a citizen of the Union. Joseph Wheeler, always frail in body, possessed an indomitable will which made him a fighter among fighters; he was brave to the point of recklessness. When the Spanish-American war broke out, although advanced in years, he volunteered under the flag of the states united and awakened enthusiasm among his troops and commanded the admiration of his associates. He did much in his latter years to restore the ties between the sections which he, in his youth, with equal sincerity, thought it best to sever. He served under two banners, but the last uniform that he wore was blue and the last flag that he defended was the Stars and Stripes. The country does well to pass his part in the internecine war and remember him in blue, for his warfare o'er, he has gone where the clatter of sabres and charging steeds do not alarm.

"NOT GUILTY," SAYS JURY.

The verdict of "not guilty" brought in by the New York jury in the criminal libel suit against the editor of *Collier's Weekly*, while a surprise to many is looked upon as just. The indictment was brought at the instance of Judge Deuel who is practically convicted of being an associate editor of a questionable weekly, *Town Topics*. This society journal has kept the "social set" in mortal terror for fear of exposure, to prevent which many of them have "taken stock" and "made loans" that they might be "immune." *Collier's Weekly* exposed the methods employed by *Town Topics* and the suit for criminal libel was brought against Editor Hapgood. The part of the article in question was: "He (Mr Justice Deuel) is part owner and one of the editors of a paper of which the occupation is printing scandal about persons who are not cowardly enough to pay for silence." The evidence brought out during the trial would furnish the facts on which to base a novel. The verdict convicts Judge Deuel of following another occupation while sitting on the bench and vindicates *Collier's*, and the foreman of the jury declared, "Justice Deuel should be removed from the bench."

THE NEW ROAD LAW.

The new road law is a subject of considerable attention throughout the county and especially in those townships where a vote is to be taken to determine whether the old method of working out tax is to be continued or not. This matter has been taken up several times in THE GAZETTE and is spoken of again because of its importance. Representative men from all sections of the county are divided in opinion as to whether it would be wise or unwise to change to a cash basis.

In a township where the duplicate amounts to $4,000 that amount of tax and no more, is available for the improvement and keeping in repair of roads. Under the new system if the voters decide to pay all taxes in cash the state agrees to furnish 15 per cent. of the amount of the duplicate, or, in the township above referred to $600, hence there would be, in the township in point, $4,600 to be expended. The same men who go on the road under the present system could also work under the new arrangement, hence there would be no loss to those who now work their taxes out. The argument, then that road masters would have special "gangs" who would go all over the township is not necessarily true, nor should it be allowed. While many who now take teams on the road do an honest days work, some do not. It is thought that more work would be done under the cash system, and in addition to this there is more money to expend, all of which additional sum would be left in the township. It is a matter of more than passing importance and needs to be well weighed.

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Railroad Cars of Steel.

The steam railroad companies have been investigating the matter of steel cars in passenger trains, especially for the one next to the engine. This one always suffers most in wrecks because of the heavy engine being forced back into it. The person who allows his stomach to become weak and bowels constipated always suffers severely. Nature always exacts a penalty for carelessness or neglect. Keep a bottle of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters handy and at the first sign of any derangement take a few doses and notice the amount of good it will do. There's nothing like it for such ailments as poor appetite, flatulency, heartburn, cramps, vomiting, headache, indigestion, dyspepsia, costiveness, female ills, chills, colds, grippe or malaria, fever and ague. We hope all sickly people will try a bottle at once.

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One of His Liabilities.

During a recent financial panic a certain city magnate, like many others, found one night that his real estate was unsalable, his firm bankrupt and his money locked up in a suspended bank. In deepest despondency he walked slowly home and greeted the companion of his joys and sorrows.

"Mary," he said, "I'm ruined. So's the bank. So's the firm. I've lost my money and my house and everything—everything."

"No, no, John," cried the loving wife as she cast herself upon his breast, "not everything. You haven't lost me."

"That's so, Mary," replied the unfeeling brute; "that's so. I never supposed that any of the liabilities would disappear."—London Times.

Whittier and His Admirers.

Few poets had more admirers among women than Whittier had, and this admiration frequently took personal form. One day his sister, in her slow, Quaker fashion, was describing these eruptions. "Thee hast no idea," she said, "of the time Greenleaf spends in trying to lose these people on the streets. Sometimes he comes home and says, 'Well, sister, I had hard work to lose him, but I have lost him.'" To this Whittier pathetically added, "But I can never lose a her."

BROADBRIM'S BUDGET

Number One Thousand Four Hundred and Ninety-Seven.

A WEEK OF EXCITEMENT

On the Elevated Road—A Strange Murder Case—Engines of Death—Fads and Fancies and Town Topics.

Special Correspondence to THE GAZETTE.

NEW YORK, January 30.—It has been a week of surpassing excitement, the dreadful accident on the elevated road overshadowing everything else, leaving behind a grewsome calender of dead and wounded. At a curve in the road, owing to a misplaced switch, a car was derailed and thrown into the street; the fall was about forty feet; the car was dashed to pieces, one of the passengers was instantly killed and a large number wounded, many of whom will be maimed and disfigured for life. The frequency of these occurrences demands a searching investigation and if it is discovered that with reasonable care they might have been avoided, then a short shrift and a certain doom to all such violators of the law, that the certainty of punishment and the vindication of the ancient law be sure to follow, "A life for a life, an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth."

It may not be altogether compatable with our modern ideas of advanced civilization, for it seems as if it was the fad of the hour to coddle criminals, and quite forgat the wrongs and suffering of the unfortunates whom they rob and murder.

I recollect the case of a negro murderer named Cox. It was a brutal affair and the discovery of the assassin was by an accident that might not occur again once in a million of times. The murdered woman was the keeper of a fashionable boarding house; Cox strangled her, and tearing a pillow case in strips tied them tightly around her neck and laid her in the bed, and after searching every part of the room, he only secured a small sum of money and a watch, a small affair of no special value, and it was his attempt to pawn the watch in Boston that led to his arrest and the discovery of the murderer. He was tried for wilful murder; he was convicted and sentenced to be hung; every day of his trial, the court room was crowded with women and on the day of his sentence was crammed to suffocation; many of the women brought flowers and the criminal box looked like a bridal altar, and when the judge uttered the closing words of the sentence "may the Lord have mercy on your soul," there were a dozen women in the audience who too-hooed as though they had lost the last relation they had in the world. Every day between his sentence and execution he was visited by scores of women who brought him fruit and flowers, candies and cookies; the day before his execution a stout and rather handsome woman called at the tombs carrying a basket filled with roast chicken, flowers, candies and fruit, which she wanted to present to him in person. The jailer did not grant her the privilege for the death watch was on Cox. The woman begged and prayed and cried, and grew hysterical but the jailer stood firm; she offered him ten dollars only for a minute, but she could not reach the felon's cell, and on being pressed with the question why she was so urgent to see him alone, she said she only wanted to kiss him before he died, and she left the tombs crying as though her heart would break. Ugh!!! It makes me sick to think of it!

Among the exciting wonders of the week has been the automobile exhibitions, one at the Madison Square garden and the other at the sixty-ninth regiment armory. The motor exhibit is a revelation in the science of speeding. A great advance has been made in the construction of these wonderful machines. The first autos brought to this country were great, uncouth, ugly affairs which any respectable man or woman would be ashamed to ride in; many of these now on exhibition are elegant and comfortable carriages, but they are not made to bless a poor man's holiday, but are one of the conveniences which enable the millionaire to keep an engagement a hundred miles distant in a couple of hours. If he finds New York too cold at mid-winter, he can turn his face southward and in a few hours he can pick the golden fruit in the orange groves of Florida. On account of these comforts and conveniences, the auto has been called the rich man's blessing; perhaps it is, but it is the poor man's curse; the poor man can never expect to own one or to ride in one; the price places it beyond his reach; he can look at them and admire them and hear the rich man tell what a comfort and convenience they are, but he must not try to get in, or the chauffeur will soon teach the Pat Butler manners than to trespass on a gentleman's preserve. Since the horseless motor has come into general use, human life was never held so cheap; men, women and children are run down with a recklessness which makes the poor man realize to his sorrow that he has no rights which the rich motor-riding man is bound to respect. According to the latest government report, in 1905 there were 3,000 accidents on street railroads, trolly cars and automobiles; the deaths running up into the hundreds. Forty and fifty horse power was sufficient to drive a motor a mile a minute. I have just heard that William K. Vanderbilt has ordered a moter of 240 horse power and the latest revelation is a sharp nosed motor; every part that faces the wind is trimmed down as keen as a razor and it has a record of a mile in twenty-six seconds; such a machine is a constant menace to human life and should be suppressed by law.

Fads and Fancies and Town Topics were before the court all the week and Colonel Mann was roasted alive by the prosecuting attorney, M. Osborn. Fads and Fancies was very profitable; so far they have unearthed $150,000 wrung from poor weak sinners, or I should have said rich weak sinners, who had been doing something naughty which they would not like to see in the papers. Colonel Mann has a bad face; it is one of those faces that strike you unpleasantly; the most damaging testimony against him was given by himself; he related interviews and attempts to sell thousands of stock in Fads and Fancies to O. P. H. Belmont and failing in that he tried to borrow $2,000, but Belmont was fly, and didn't scare for a cent, but Colonel Mann related the interview as if he thought blackmail was a legitimate business. Fads and Fancies is the boldest attempt at wholesale blackmailing that has ever been attempted in the United States and it ought to land the whole of the base crowd in State's prison.

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Home of Swamp-Root.

Theft of the Gainsborough Picture.

Adam Worth was one of the few men who ever eluded the Pinkertons. Worth stole millions on both sides of the Atlantic, eluded the police for years and died in poverty in London. One of his famous exploits was the stealing of the famous picture of the Duchess of Devonshire, by Gainsborough, valued at $50,000. He carried the picture in a false bottom of a trunk for years and finally gave it up after some negotiations with the owners.—Leslie's Monthly.

LITTLE POCKET PHYSICIAN

Hyomei Inhaler that is Guaranteed by F W. Jordan to Cure Catarrh.

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A Smart Man.

"Fourteen cents for each of these," he said, handing the saleswoman two cravats he had selected. "That's 28; 18 for this and 14 for this. That's just 50 cents in all." And he placed a half dollar on the counter.

The girl took the cravats he had selected, entered the purchase on a slip, which she footed up at 50 cents, and sent them away. Soon they came back wrapped ready for the purchaser. He took them, but did not go away.

"I knew I could do it," he said. "Just count it up again—three for 14 cents each and one for 18."

The girl counted and found the total was 60 cents instead of 50. Then he wanted to give her 10 cents more and go off with the goods, but it took more than 10 cents' worth of his time as well as of everybody else's concerned before the matter could be straightened out.

"The lesson was quite as expensive for me as for you," he said to the girl when he finally left with his cravats.—Philadelphia Record.

One Way to Look at It.

"A man always gets on easier by taking his wife's advice."

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THE MAKING OF TOYS.

An Art That Flourished Before the Days of History.

To tell the whole story of the art of making toys it would first be necessary to find some means of exploring the ages that antedate history. The love of toys is as instinctive as it is universal. No barbarous land has yet been found which was so uncivilized that its children did not have their playthings—shapeless and clumsy, perhaps, but still capable of fulfilling the purpose for which they were created—and there is no record of any time when little ones have not possessed some kind of puppets with which they might divert themselves. Archaeologists in delving among the tombs of ancient Greece and Egypt made the surprising discovery that the art of toymaking was not only known, but had attained a high degree of development as far back as 5,000 years ago. In those days both Grecian and Egyptian children had their dolls, and they were jointed dolls at that. As compared with the magnificently attired French conceptions of the present time they were crude inventions, of course. Their bodies were made of wood, of clay or of stone, and their little limbs were wee laths fastened to the body by means of a wire. The carving of the bodies, however, was not badly done, and many a child since that time has been glad to mother a more unsightly doll.

By the side of the dolls of the children of ancient Egypt the archaeologists unearthed other playthings which children still love to possess—the doll's furniture, the utensils for cooking and, what is even more interesting from an antiquarian's point of view, the articles used in the making of sacrifices, cleverly duplicated in miniature, that the children might be able to conduct their dolls through the ritual of their religious exercises, a circumstance that suggests that the word "sacrilege" had not then the same meaning which it has today.

It is a long step from the year 3000 B. C. to the fifteenth or sixteenth century, but it was within that time that the art of toymaking was both brought to a high state of perfection and then once more forgotten. Like other arts, it could not survive the neglect and vandalism of that period known as the "dark ages." Just what the children used for playthings during those long centuries of darkness and ignorance one can only surmise, but it is safe to say that they found things to play with, not only because the making of toys was one of the first objects to which man devoted his attentions when he plunged into the renewed activities of the renaissance, but also for the reason that, as the psychologists have recently taught us, playthings are and always have been quite as necessary a constituent of human health and development as food and medicine. In other words, children crave toys because it is natural for them to want them. They need them, and to deprive them of these pleasures would be to retard their progress in their work of becoming men and women.—Public Opinion.

"The Grand Old Man."

The Rev. Edward Lloyd Jones of Manchester, England, is credited with having originated the phrase "the Grand Old Man" as applied to Mr. Gladstone. During the Irish agitation it became necessary that detectives should follow Mr. Gladstone for the purpose of protection, and as the Liberal leader lived in Hawarden, in Flintshire, that county, then governed by quarter sessions, was asked to pay the bill. The magistrates, nearly all Tories in those days, objected, whereupon Lloyd Jones, who was than a minister at Rhyl, promptly called an indignation meeting. He asked a lawyer who was present to state whether, if the life of a common tramp was in peril, it was not the duty of the county to protect him. The lawyer said that undoubtedly it was. "Then," shouted Mr. Jones, "if it is the duty of this county to protect the beggar at our doors, are we going to allow the precious life of that grand old man at Hawarden to go unprotected?" That meeting settled the quarter sessions' objections, and the title stuck.

Finances of Knighthood.

Sordid questions of finance enter into the consideration of the eligibility of those upon whom the British sovereign would confer the distinction of knighthood, and there are many who might use the coveted prefix "Sir" did they possess a larger income. It is, roughly speaking, a rule that knighthood shall not be conferred upon any one who has not an income of at least $15,000 upon which to maintain his knightly dignity, while a baronet, before his creation, must not only be found to have an income of at least $50,000 a year, but must further be able to purchase a country seat and be able to suitably provide for his eldest son. While knighthood, or ennoblement, is a mark of distinguished merit, it is held that its conference would only embarrass those who could not afford to keep up the dignity of their station.

When the Ostrich Hurries.

Two feet is the usual stride of an ostrich when it walks, but when the bird is alarmed and commences to run it exchanges its mincing stride for fourteen foot steps, which easily carry it over the ground at a rate of twenty-five miles an hour. Ordinarily an ostrich makes no effort to profit by its length of legs, and many birds with legs less than a quarter as long habitually use a three and four foot stride, for it seems to be one of the rules of nature that birds like ostriches, flamingoes and cranes extend their stride only when alarmed. The ostrich when it runs takes both feet off the ground at every stride, its progress being made by means of a series of jumps so rapidly performed as to leave the observer under the impression that one foot remains on the ground until the other is placed.

SCHOOL REPORTS.

Record of Attendance in Several Sections of the County.

Report of Schellsburg schools for the fourth month ending January 23: Number of pupils enrolled, 87; average attendance, 79; per cent of attendance, 93.

HONOR ROLL.

High School:—Maude Fitzimons, Mayme Bowser, Bessie Hull, Clara Culp, Mary Snively, Clara Brown, Grace Wolfe, Blanche McMullin, Stella Colvin, Charles Colvin, Harvey Snively, Paul Diehl.

Intermediate School:—Hubert Colvin, Chester Culp, William Hughes, Gerald Schell, Rea Taylor, Florence Poorman, Ida Hiner, Josephine Fisher, Edith Shaffer, Pearl Shaffer, Gertie Manges, Margaret Slack, Marie Long, Rose Hughes, Ruth Snively, Emily Whetstone.

Primary School:—Eliza Colvin, Doris Culp, Mary Colvin, Maud Mervine, Florence Norgross, Rose Hare, Margaret Slack, Frank Hiner, Earl Snively, Thomas Snively, Frank Colvin, Frank Fisher, Charley Wolfe, George Colvin, Frank Long, Fred Culp, McCoil Taylor, Herrick Johnston, Irvine Manges, Plummer Beegle, Harry Manges, Willie Snively.

GEORGE L. WOLFE,
FRANK S. BEAVER,
JESSIE C. GARLINGER,
Teachers.

MANN'S CHOICE

Report of schools for the month ending January 18: Number enrolled, 81; average attendance, 71; per cent. of attendance, 93.

HONOR ROLL.

High School:—Clarence Diehl, Harvey Miller, Margaret Miller, Josie Kerr, Zora Mowry, Willie Miller, Evelyn Reiley, Ray Miller, Mary Newman, Esther Kauffman, Charley Kerr.

Intermediate:—Eddie McCreary, Gilbert McCreary, Oscar McCreary, Clarence Scritchfield, James Scritchfield, Ord Koontz, William Kegg, Roy Valentine, Carl Seifert, Paul Miller, Binnie Koontz, Edna Koontz, May Fisher, Laura Sides, Ida Valentine, Cora Hurley, Laura Amick, Florence Cuppett, Irene Cuppett, Mary Koontz.

J. J. DALLARD
NELL Z SNYDER,
Teachers

IMLERTOWN

Report of schools for the month ending January 17: Number enrolled, 44; per cent of attendance, 91; average attendance, 39.

HONOR ROLL.

Advanced:—Calvin Imler, Robert Harclerode, Oscar Imler, Anna Feather, Lulu Stickler, Melissa Nicodemus, Mary Beegle, Helena Mock, Lottie Fletcher, Bertha Heming.

Primary:—Margaret Harclerode, Lillian Fletcher, Ruth Mock, Margaret Fletcher, Ada Imler, Zula Shuck, Ella Imler, Julia Heming, John Fletcher, Cecil Shunk, Bert Nicodemus, Frank Inglis, Lester Feather, Harper Harclerode, George Inglis.

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BOYDSTOWN

Roll of honor of the Boydstown school for the past month follows:

Advanced Room:—Mary Hughes, Lena Delaney, Lucile Smith, Margaret Delaney, Bertha Smith, Luelva Wertz, Olive Delaney, Rena Fodder, Lillian Barefoot, Harold Lessig, John O'Shea, Edgar Barefoot, Howard Hughes, Bernard Feight, Daniel O'Shea, John Feight, Thomas Stiffler, David Fodder, Charles Fletcher, Clyde Barley, Ross Smith.

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A famous diplomatist once went to see Lord Beaconsfield, conversed with him and found him very agreeable. Soon after the waiter who had shown him up came and asked him for a present.

"But why?"

"Don't you remember?" was the answer. "I showed you up to Lord Beaconsfield."

"What of that?" said the other.

"Oh, sir, after you had gone he did swear at me uncommon for telling you he was at home."



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A Story of Victor Hugo.

Victor Hugo, as is well known, was a man of exceeding vanity. He had a sense of his own importance which often manifested itself in ridiculous ways. During the siege of Paris in 1871 a number of political and literary men were dining one evening at his house. The conversation turned on the horrors of the siege, and the members of the party gave their respective ideas as to the best means of terminating it. Suddenly Victor Hugo had an inspiration. "I know how to do it," he said, with such conviction that every one was filled with hope and expectation.

"Yes," he continued, "tomorrow I, Victor Hugo, dressed in my national costume, will go forth all alone, unarmed, and meet the bullets of the enemy. I shall be killed, and the siege will be over!"

"Over for you," irreverently interrupted one of the company.

Victor Hugo's brow took on an Olympian frown. Never again did the unhappy interrupter receive an invitation to the table of the poet.—Harper's Weekly.

A Danish Dinner Custom.

A pretty little observance in Danish families is for children, even little ones who can scarcely toddle, to go gravely after dinner to salute their parents and say, "Tak for mad" (thanks for the food). Even visitors shake hands with their host and hostess and go through the same formality. In German families that lead to tradition the same custom prevails. When the evening meal is ended the party stands up around the table and each shakes hands with the neighbor, saying, "Gesegnete mahlzeit" (bless me the food). This is a relic of those fabled times when food was the elusive ideal, the thing that came as a personal compliment from the Deity. There is an echo of that custom among the students of Leipsic, whose intimate greeting at all times of the day is simply "Mahlzeit!" An English writer says: "Seldom do I rise from the table without the passing flash of a remembered sentence: 'Thank you, papa and mamma, for my nice dinner. Please may little boy get down?'"

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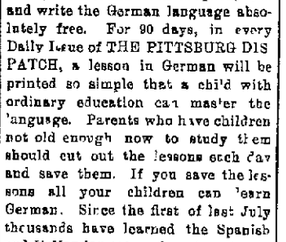
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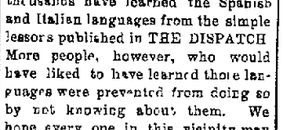
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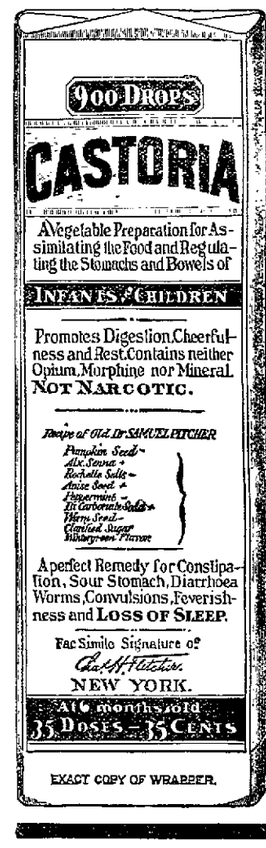
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WINNING DENISE

By Leonard Frank Adams

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Big Pierre Laloup sent his canoe down stream with such mighty strokes of the paddle that the tough ash bent in his hands and bade fair to snap. Twilight was falling—the soft, mysterious twilight of the forest that made black shadows beneath the tamaracks while the sky blazed red and gold above the treetops. The pipe of birds came musically through the stillness, and far away a white owl was hooting dismally.

Ordinarily Pierre would have loitered along, drifting idly with the current and watching the night descend upon the forest, for, familiar with it all as he was, these early summer twilights cast their spell upon him. They made him content with the world and with himself. But tonight the spell was rudely shattered. He wanted to paddle hard enough to blot out his bitter thoughts

For a long time he had known it was coming He had endeavored to prepare himself for the shock. Yet now that it was here, despite all his foresight and his determination to take the blow stolidly, his heart was full of rankling bitterness. Yes, he had known it that day in early spring, when Denise Beauchamp had come back from the convent a thousand times prettier and a thousand times more intangible. He had known then that she had gone gone beyond the pale of his dreams.

The Denise who came back from the convent was not the Denise of old. This new Denise, with the big, starry eyes that looked one through and through, was a bewildering creature. In her presence big Pierre felt like an awkward, bungling schoolboy. Her cool, quiet voice, with its subtle im-



"YES, I MUST GO AWAY," SHE REPEATED.

perious inflections, made him hot and cold by turns and set him stammering absurdly when he essayed conversation with her. Therefore in time he came to worship her in silence whenever he paid one of his frequent visits to Pere Beauchamp's clearing on the headwaters of Little Otter.

Over and over again Pierre had told himself that a girl like Denise was as far away from him as the sun is from the groveling mole. Yet tonight as he paddled toward his own clearing he found but little consolation in reiterating this to himself.

He had gone up to the Beauchamp clearing bubbling over with good humor. Had not the six men who were coming from New York to fish for salmon engaged his camp for quarters and himself for guide at a fabulous sum? He had intended to tell them of this and to drop mysterious hints about the gifts Denise would receive when the summer's fishing should be over. But when he reached the clearing there was something about Pere Beauchamp's exuberant spirits and the fat Mere Beauchamp's undisguised satisfaction that filled him with vague fears.

Between them artlessly they told Pierre of their daughter's good fortune. The wedding would take place in the late fall. Oh, yes, he was rich, very rich, this lumber buyer from Montreal. He had come to the lumber camp up stream to contract for logs. He had seen much of Denise, and—well, what would you? Denise was a fine girl. She was worthy of such a man. She would make him a good wife, as well she should. Mere Beauchamp called on heaven to witness the struggle they had been through to raise money to give her an education at the convent.

Pierre listened to all their chatter in stunned silence. When he could bear it no longer he declared he must be going down stream, and despite their hospitable protestations he pushed his canoe into the stream.

And so big Pierre Laloup went paddling madly back to his own clearing, his heart crying obstinately for Denise, even as a poor blind mole might cry for the sun.

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It was autumn, and there was a touch of frost in the air before Pierre found heart to go to Beauchamp clearing again. He wanted to buy a wedding present for Denise, and with a view to seeking Pere Beauchamp's advice on this point he paddled up the Little Otter.

When he reached the clearing it was ominously silent. He shouted lustily as he headed the canoe for the bank. In answer to his shout he saw Denise come running toward the stream.

"Keep back!" she called. "You mustn't land!"

"Eh? Why not?" he asked, amazed.

"It is smallpox," she exclaimed.

Big Pierre drove the nose of his canoe to the bank and stepped out. "I am not afraid," said he. "Is he here with you?"

She flushed as she divined his meaning.

"He—he was here at the beginning, when we first knew what it was, but he went back to Montreal. I think he was afraid," she confessed.

Pierre scowled. "I will stay with you," he said simply.

Those following two weeks were like some hideous nightmare. The Monday after his arrival Mere Beauchamp died. Pierre built a coffin and dug the grave. It was he who read the prayers, and it was he who comforted the weeping Denise. And ten days later, when Pere Beauchamp breathed his last, Pierre went through it all again.

It was red dusk when Pierre and Denise came back from the second grave beneath the tamaracks. Cold, gray clouds hung—the sky; the wind whistled sharply. There was a biting chill in the air that seemed to herald the approach of gray, bleak winter.

"It is over now," said Pierre gently. "You must go away."

"Yes, I must go away," she repeated listlessly.

"I will take you to Montreal—to him," said he.

"No, no, Pierre!" she cried, with a

sudden vehemence "Not that!"

He looked at her in puzzled helplessness.

"Where then?" he asked.

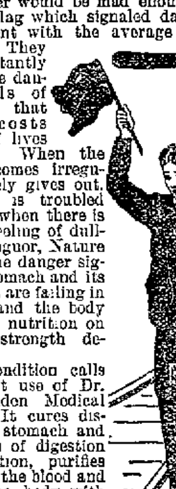
She caught his arm. He saw a new and wonderful light in her eyes.

"Let me stay with you—always with you," she said.

Big Pierre began to tremble. He stood staring at her stupidly. He could not seem to realize the import of her words.

"There is a chapel at the fort," she said. "Take me there. We will be married there tonight, dear, you and I."

DANGER SIGNALS.



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Thackeray's Disfigured Nose.

That George Venables, Thackeray's schoolmate, was not entirely responsible for the novelist's disfigured nose is to be gathered from the autobiography of Sir Wemyss Reid. On one occasion, when both Venables and Reid were visiting Lord Houghton, Reid bluntly asked his fellow guest who broke Thackeray's nose.

"It was winter, and we were walking in Indian file through the woods. As I put this question to Venables he suddenly stopped and, turning around, glared at me in a manner that instantly revealed the terrible truth to my alarmed intelligence. He continued to glare for several seconds, and then, apparently perceiving nothing but innocent confusion, not unmixed with alarm, on my face, his features became relaxed into a more amiable expression. 'Did anybody tell you,' he said slowly and with solemn emphasis, 'to ask me that question?' I could truthfully say that nobody had done so. My answer seemed to mollify Venables at once. 'Then, if nobody put you up to asking that question, I don't mind answering it. It was I who broke Thackeray's nose. We were only little boys at the time and quarreled over something and had the usual fight. It wasn't my fault that he was disfigured for life. It was all the fault of some wretched doctor. Nowadays a boy's nose can be mended so that nobody can see that it has ever been broken. Let me tell you,' he continued, 'that Thackeray never showed me any ill will for the harm I had done him, and I do not believe he felt any.'"

The Ring.

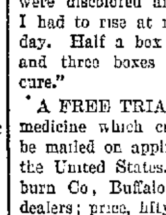
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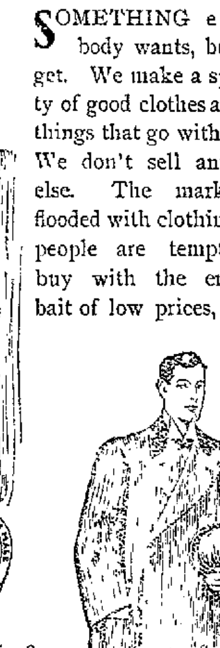
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Letters of administration c. t. a. on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

HARRY SWISHER,
Administrator c t. a.
Hopewell, Pa

MOSES A. POINTS,
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Attorneys jan19w6

Auditor's Notice.

The undersigned appointed auditor by the Court of Common Pleas of Bedford county to distribute the funds in the hands of Moses A Points, Esq, trustee for certain creditors of F. F. Dougherty, C. H. Rowland and W. T. Dougherty, hereby gives notice that he will sit at the Court House in Bedford on Monday, February 12, 1906, at 10 a. m. to perform the duties of his appointment where all persons interested may attend.

JOHN B. JORDAN,
Auditor
POINTS, POINTS & POINTS,
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Notice of Appeals.

Appeals from the annual assessment of 1906 will be held in the commissioners' office in Bedford for the different townships and boroughs as follows:

Harrison and Londonderry townships and Mann's Choice borough, February 5.
Juniata and Napier townships and Schellsburg borough, February 6.
New Paris and Pleasantville boroughs and West St. Clair township, February 7.
Lincoln, Union and Kimmell townships, February 8.
King and East St Clair townships and St Clairsville borough, February 9
Bloomfield and Woodbury townships and Woodbury borough, February 12
South Woodbury, Snake Spring and Colerain townships, February 13.
Hopewell and Broad Top townships and Hopewell borough, February 14
Coaldale and Saxton boroughs and Liberty township, February 15
Cumberland Valley township and Hyndman borough, February 22.
East and West Providence and Bedford townships and Bedford borough, February 23.
Monroe township and Everett borough, March 1.
Southampton and Mann townships and Rainsburg borough, March 2.
Appeals for state purposes. April 16, 17, 18, 1906.

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County Commissioners

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Public Sale OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned administrators and trustees, of Francis Suttmiller, late of Juniata township, Bedford county, Pa, deceased will sell at public sale on the premises in said township on

Friday, February 23, 1906,

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Administratrix's Notice.

[ESTATE OF JOHN T. CULLEN, LATE OF COALDALE BOROUGH, BEDFORD COUNTY, PA., DECEASED.]

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

AGNES CULLEN,
Administratrix,
Six Mile Run.

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Public Sale —OF VALUABLE— Real Estate.

The undersigned executor of Philip M. Smith, late of Mann Township, Bedford County, Pa, deceased, will offer at public sale on the premises in Mann Township on

Saturday, February 17, 1906,

at 1 o'clock p. m, the real estate of Philip M. Smith, deceased, viz: A tract of land in Mann Township, containing 155 acres, more or less, adjoining lands of Banner Clingerman on the north, Simon Clingerman on the east, Daniel Weicht on the south and E. W. Smith, Savanna Smith and Cassie G Jay on the west, having thereon erected a log house and frame barn and outbuildings

TERMS: Ten per cent. of bid must be paid or secured on day of sale, balance of ⅓ at confirmation of sale, ⅓ in one year and ⅓ in two years after confirmation with interest.

JAMES ROBISON,
Executor.

FRANK E. COLVIN,
Attorney.
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Notice to Stockholders.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Bedford County Agricultural Society at the Court House (Grand Jury Room) on Tuesday, the 6th day of February, 1906, at one o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating and electing officers for the ensuing year, and to transact any other business that may come up at said meeting

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Meyersdale		8 18	11 20	4 28	4 50
Rockwood	3 52	8 45	11 45	4 49	5 14
Connellsville	5 15	10†35	1 20	6 05	7 00
McKeesport	6 25	11 47	2 28	7 13	8 43
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Less Dollars for Railroads.

It now appears almost certain that the house Post Office committee, in the Postal Appropriation bill it is framing, will make a deep cut in the item for the inland transportation of mails by railroads. Some time ago General Grosvenor, of Ohio, suggested that the item for mail transportation by rail should be reduced by at least $10,000,000 It is thought not unlikely that Grosvenor's suggestion may be adopted and the item cut to about $30,000,000 in the forthcoming Postal bill.

It has been figured that at the present rate of pay, the railroads get about $21 a ton for carrying the mails. Compared with the rates charged on other classes of merchandise, this is said to be exorbitant.

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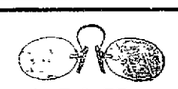


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—OF VALUABLE—

Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court the undersigned administrator of the estate of Artie M. Walter, late of Kimmell Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased, will expose to public sale at the late residence of said deceased in Kimmell Township on

Friday, February 23, 1906,

at one o'clock p m., the real estate of said decedent as follows:

1. A tract of land in Kimmell Township aforesaid, containing 170 acres, about 162 acres cleared, balance in timber, adjoining lands of Mrs. B. F. Moorehead, F. B. Colebaugh, S W. Fickes and others and having thereon erected a large two-story log frame dwelling house, a two-story tenant house, bank barn, wagon shed and other outbuildings.

2. A tract of 70 acres adjoining the above, lands of W. C. Walter, George and James Fickes and others, and upon which is fine locust, chestnut and other timber.

3. A tract of 26 acres well timbered, adjoining No. 2, lands of S. W. Fickes and Peter S. Duncan.

4. A tract of timber land containing 94 acres, adjoining tract No. 3 and lands of S. W. Fickes, Peter S. Duncan and George and James Fickes.

TERMS Tracts Nos 2, 3 and 4 cash Tract No. 1, one-third cash. Balance necessary to pay debts in one year with interest, and amount not necessary to pay debts to remain in land, interest to be paid annually to J. Emory Walter during his lifetime and at his death she principal sum to the heirs of Artie M. Walter.

ISAAC C. BOWSER,
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FRANK FLETCHER, Attorney. feb2w3

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Blankets that were $2.50 now $1 80
Blankets that were $2.25 now $1.65
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22 " " " " $15,	$5.98
27 " " " " $22,	$8.98
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21 " " " " $20,	$6.98
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" " " $3,	$1.38
" " " $5,	$1.98

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2 dozen flannel shirts were 50c, now 38c.

16 heavy blue flannel shirts were 85c, now 65c.

5 dozen black satine shirts were 50c, now 35c.

14 pairs heavy gray felt boots and overs, were $2.25, now $1.69.

4 ladies' coats—1 castor and 3 black, size 32 and 34, were $8.50, to go for $3.50.

7 pairs of handsome lace curtains—only 1 pair of the same design, were $4 and $5, to go at $1.75 a pair.

20 samples of floor oil cloth from 1 to 2 yards square at 20c a yard.

Portiers, Table and Couch Covers

Big assortment of handsome patterns direct from the mill.

In portiers we show a pretty line in solid colors—reds and greens—highly mercerized and very silky in appearance. Also a complete assortment of mixed colors in greens, reds, gold, browns and blues at prices ranging from $1.50 to $8 a pair. Tapestry table and stand covers in plain and mixed colors at one yard square for 25c; one and one quarter yd. square, 60c; two yards square at $1. Also heavier goods at 50c for 1 yd. square to $2.50 for 2 yards square. Also weights in between.

Couch covers in Roman and Bagdad stripes—50 and 60 inches wide and 10 feet long at $1.25 to $2.

Groceries

Fancy cream cheese	14c
Lima beans	5c
Package coffee	13c
Granulated sugar—20 lbs	$1.00
Chase & Sanborn's coffee	20c
English breakfast bacon	13c
Fancy cream corn—can	9c
Extra quality tomatoes—can	10c
California prunes	5c
Large, fancy peaches—lb	12½c
"Premier" oats—very fine—2 lbs	10c
"Ralston" Breakfast Food	10c
Scotch peas—qt	6c
Gold Medal Flour—the best	
Large grain rice	5c

Pails for Sugar Water

Strictly first quality, heavy galvanized buckets, 12 quart size, each, 19c; by the dozen, each, 17c; by the hundred, each, 15c.

Wall Papers

The new stock is now coming in—not all, but enough to show what the new styles are going to be. At 5, 6 and 8c we show the prettiest papers ever brought to Bedford. Plenty of stripes and moires in the stock. If you have papering to do this spring why not do it, or some of it, now when mechanics are not so rushed. You will more than likely get a better job done.

Carpets

New patterns are arriving every week. We keep on hand at all times the biggest stock of piece goods to be found in this part of the state. We have patterns on hand suitable for churches, halls, library or parlor. No matter what you want in the way of floor coverings—we can suit you and at moderate prices. We have several new patterns in velvet carpet in green, garnet and tan mixtures that are special bargains at $1 a yard. They are positively worth $1 25.

At 75c we are prepared to show you a strong assortment of Brussels carpets for rooms, hall or stairs.

Pretty ingrains, the old stand by, at 25 to 75c for the best extra heavy 3 ply all wool.

Splendid values in double filled unions at 37½ to 45c. All wool ingrain carpet as low as 65c.

New patterns in floor oil cloth and linoleum. Stair and shelf oil cloth, stair pads, stair rods and buttons. Carpet lining—all kinds, and carpet sweepers.

Paint

In a few weeks you can give your house a new dress. Don't put off spending a few dollars for paint it will save you a big bill for repairs which is sure to come if you put off protecting your wood work from the effect of the weather. The paint we handle is the very highest grade. It is not the cheapest in price, but for ease in applying, the extra amount of surface it covers, beautiful appearance, long lasting quality—it is the cheapest paint on the market. B. P. S. is recognized by every one who has used it as superior to all others. $1.50 a gallon.

New Footwear

Lots of Reed's shoes, for ladies, have arrived this week and quite a lot are due to arrive next week. This popular line needs no introduction to the ladies of Bedford and vicinity. We know that their shoes at $2 can't be matched for the same price, and for $2 50 their goods will equal many $3 makes.

Reed's $3.50 shoes, with or without cushion soles are simply perfect.

To men, we say the Heywood shoe is the best you can buy. When you want comfort try the Heywood shoe. When you want long wear try the Heywood Shoe. $3.50 and $4.

For the children—parents should buy the Budd Shoes—there is no better shoe made for children—we know of none so good. 50c to $2.

The first shipment of Oxford Ties will arrive next week.

Mattings

Some have arrived—balance expected next week. In connection with this line of goods I must say that the styles are the prettiest ever shown in this part of the state. Smooth cord edges, handsome inlaid, embroidered and panel effects. Entirely new designs from what have been shown other years—yet the prices are very moderate. For the high grade, fancy goods, the prices run from 20 to 65c a yard.

For the medium weight China matting—the prices will be from 10c to 18c.

Special prices on roll lots.

Feathers

The very best we can buy from the great lakes—perfectly cured—no odor or smell at any season of the year. Pure white, live geese feathers and part down—at 65 and 75c a lb.

Patterns

Get the New Idea Patterns and save trouble. Guaranteed to fit. 10c each—none higher.

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